Faculty Senate Votes to Back Proposal on Upgrading SAMP

By ELLIS M. KRIESBERG

The University has unanimously endorsed the recommendations of the University Senate Committee on Program Evaluation and Budget (SAMP) Budget Committee, acting as a Reorganization Review Board, recommended in September that the University either upgrade SAMP by merging it with the Independent and Self-Management (ISM) Program or else transfer all of SAMP's existing undergraduate, allied programs to Thomas Jefferson University.

The Reorganization Review Board found the feasibility of a transition to be promising.

Professor Kriesberg reported at the meeting that the Reorganization Review Board had not had an opportunity to fully evaluate the SAMP program, which the board administration would have done if the board had not decided to phase out the SAMP program and replace it with a new system. But he did say, however, that the board had been impressed with the enthusiasm of the faculty and the student body for the new system.

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news in brief

HIGH COURT RULES ON EXECUTION PENALTY — The Supreme Court announced yesterday it will decide whether mandatory death penalty laws, when the fetters were found to incapacitate the juries, are permissible in federal courts.

HOLIDAY DEATH TOLL CLIMBS - The Thanksgiving holiday traffic death toll climbed above 1,900 yesterday, more than 100 last year, according to statistics compiled by the National Safety Council. The accident toll includes 105 pedestrians, 56 killed in car accidents and 148 killed in other traffic collisions.

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GILMORE DEMANDS TO DDX — Condemned killer Gary Gilmore made his demands clear on the eve of a hearing to decide his fate, "Let's do it, you cowards."

HIGH COURT TO RULE ON DEATH PENALTY — The Supreme Court agreed yesterday to decide the constitutionality of mandatory death penalty laws. The court decided to hear the case of Gary Gilmore, who is scheduled to be executed next month in Utah.

CARTER FACES DEFENSE DECISIONS — One of the first major decisions to be made by President-elect Jimmy Carter will be the appointment of new defense officials. Carter is expected to announce his choice of defense secretary in the next few days.

CARTER NAMES INAUGURAL COORDINATORS -- President-elect Jimmy Carter, returning to work after a quiet weekend, met with top advisers Monday and named three coordinators for his presidential transition effort.

HOMELAND SECURITY PLANS — President-elect Jimmy Carter has named three coordinators for his presidential transition effort. The coordinators are expected to be named today.

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Still Tapping the Potential
Affirmative Action on the Graduate Level

By Ida Haynes

It is a shame that the rivalry and severity of affirmative action programs, particularly as they apply to graduate admissions, is now being turned into a campaign of threats and attacks by certain organizations. But what is the nature of these threats? Are they logical and fair? This is the question that I would like to address in this article.

First of all, there is the concern that affirmative action programs are not being implemented in a fair and equitable manner. Some people argue that the programs are discriminatory and that they are not working to the benefit of all students. However, the studies that have been conducted on affirmative action programs have shown that they are not discriminatory and that they are working to the benefit of all students.

Secondly, there is the concern that affirmative action programs are not being implemented in a consistent manner. Some programs are more successful than others, and this can lead to unfairness. However, it is important to remember that the success of affirmative action programs is dependent on a variety of factors, such as the quality of the program, the level of support from the university, and the level of support from the community.

Finally, there is the concern that affirmative action programs are not being implemented in a transparent manner. Some people argue that the programs are not transparent and that they are not being communicated to students in a clear and understandable way. However, it is important to remember that the success of affirmative action programs is dependent on a variety of factors, such as the quality of the program, the level of support from the university, and the level of support from the community.

In conclusion, it is important to remember that affirmative action programs are not discriminatory and that they are working to the benefit of all students. It is also important to remember that the success of affirmative action programs is dependent on a variety of factors, such as the quality of the program, the level of support from the university, and the level of support from the community.

The Hazards of Locust Walk

It was breathtaking to see the news reports last week. The picture of Locust Walk for Kyoto University was really something to behold. The students were so happy and excited to be there. I was amazed by their enthusiasm and energy. It was a wonderful experience.

Unfortunately, the excitement was short-lived. The students were soon met with a series of problems. They were not able to find a place to stay and were forced to sleep in the open. Some of the students were injured and required medical attention. It was a traumatic experience.

In retrospect, I believe that the organizers of this event should have been more prepared. They should have had a better plan and taken more precautions. It is important to remember that safety should always be a priority.

In conclusion, it is important to remember that while Locust Walk is a wonderful experience, it is also a challenging one. It is important to be prepared and to take all necessary precautions to ensure the safety of the students.
If you want to know where we are in history, look at the Jewish people. They are God's timepiece and people of prophecy. Part of an eternal clock ticking away as an everlasting reminder that although other peoples or nations may come or go, these people will remain forever. Because that's the way God wants it. Promised it. And planned it. Long ago. He made a covenant with Abraham, promising a large portion of the Middle East as an inheritance for him and his descendants. No mortgage. No lease. And no divine or human right of eminent domain to ever pop up later. The covenant was unconditional. Just like His love. And because of God's love He made another promise through Abraham. That through his seed all the nations of the earth would be blessed. This is history past. For the seed which came through Abraham, Isaac and Jacob... Ruth, Jesse and David... came to fruition as the Messiah of Israel. We, as believers in the Messiah, know Him to fulfill ancient promises while bringing love, joy and peace to us now. This is history today. And as the Jewish people continue to return to their promised land by the thousands, they take part in fulfilling prophecy today. And history tomorrow. Bringing us one step closer to the most important event of all. The return of the Messiah. Because the Jewish people are the people of prophecy, they are the people of the land. And we, knowing Him who made the promise, totally support the people and land of Israel in their God-given, God-promised, God-ordained right to exist.

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**Faculty Senate**

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Joseph A. Herbst, the University'sóm president, said the faculty will vote on a proposal next week to change the teaching schedule.

**Brutality Claim**

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took the stunt into consideration, they believe the incident was not accidental.

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Dancers Will Perform At International House

BY LARRY PRIMAN

The International House will operate a diplomatic dance series with international guests
originally restricted to residents of International House, today anyone may enjoy the dances.
Arts diplomacy that is a very strong concept: Larry Blumon who performed the
International House and the University of Pennsylvania.
The dance company that performs native dances
has been forced to find other sources of
full appropriations, the University is
everything it is getting," and without
Koval explained. "We are counting on
Koval said the University "needs
Students in this category include
graduates, and international
members of the University community.

The Allnation company, an international
group which performs native dances
sponsors an appearance by the
company at the International House.
The Allnation company has performed in Rumania, Israel,
primarily performed in the New York
folk dance sessions. Within a year,

The careers of many of its members.

Tina Yuan of the Alvin City Center Dance Theatre and
troupe tonight. Tina Yuan of the Alvin
Manhattan School of Music.

The American-based, multinational
group was brought to Philadelphia by the
International House to attract participants to their
dance classes. William Blumon, who performs international
dance, is the director of the Allnation company.

In their early years the company
primarily performed in the New York
house at the end of the program.

There will be "approved as submitted."
Lack of DANCE WITH ME-Quaker grapplers play popular game Twister. Here they demonstrate grace and beauty in trying to

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are currently filled by freshmen and sophomores.

The grapplers can begin to set their sights on a

What exactly Lauchle means when he says "all right" is difficult to assess at

Ashley cautioned, "At this moment, other)

I fed we can do It.

Although they're quick and spirited,

Although they're quick and spirited, their lumber.

Dave Taylor and Tom Whitehead's

The Penn swimming season

Lauchle asserts that the key

"If we don't get hurt and we stay

intraquad wrestle-offs) seven of those starting positions on the Quaker squad

undue pressure on his matmen. The grapplers can begin to set their sights on a

march 10, as well as make a name for themselves in the area. They have

But with .212 left, the red lamp

Rutgers is the toughest team they'll

Ashley felt that Rutgers, one of the

Icemen Sweep Buckeyes

As OSU Onslauk Falls

Dependable Mermen, Rebuilding Grapplers Look Ahead

Lauchle Hopes for Improvement in 2-9 Log

Breen's Strikers' Loose

"Winning is a prerequisite to getting to a big game," explains Breen recently. "I think that we have a group of pretty reasonably smooth guys on the here. We've

SICUS, CUT THAT OUT - the human sieve, Ohio State guard Pat Lee, watches another member of Pat's pack grind his way. Jeff Fahey reached the hockey team late, Lee would love to miss this roll in.

Women's Basketball Preview

Lack of Height Biggest Factor

Breen's Openers 'Loose

Breen's Strokers 'Loose

Penn's John Whitehead passed one of his two goals to Quaker 7:14 that night at the Class of '73 Hall. This defensive right winger was instrumental in Bob Fisher's double-duty hockey bagging, scoring the Red and Blue's record at 52.

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